clv. Stephen suggests that Clarke's heavy reliance on the Binet-Simon intelligence test as an indicatior of mental defect, and his strong determination to demonstrate a connection between mental defect and prostitution or "loose morals," led him to invent a new and rather paradoxical category of "high grade moron" for women who scored too high on the test. See Jennifer Stephen, Mental Hygiene, Mental Defect and Mental Age, 82-85. Like Carolyn Strange, she believes that such designations were applied to women with whom there was nothing the matter, but who "were out for a good time, and were guilty of moral infractions but had not turned their `immoral careers' to commercial gain" (81).

clvi. C.K. Clarke, "Mental Hygiene in Canada," Lancet 1 (June, 1923): 1139-41.